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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Kenichi MORITA et al.

Serial No: Not assigned (parent 09/945,156)

Filed: January 25, 2006

For: Vehicle Managing Method

Art Unit: Not assigned

Examiner: Not assigned

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136, Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a three-month extension of time extending to February 24, 2006, the period for response to the Office Action dated August 24, 2005. The extension is sought for the purpose of maintaining pendency so that a continuation application of this case may be filed. Please charge the fee of \$1020.00 for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. The responsive paper(s) are attached.

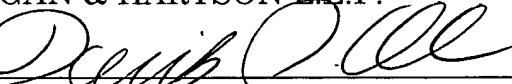
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Respectfully submitted,

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